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## 2002 NMFS Surfclam / Ocean Quahog Quota Report

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May 31, 2002

The following figures are based on the 2002 dealer/processor shellfish reports for purchases made through May 15, 2002

Species	Bushels	Percent of Quota	Quota (bushels)
Surfclam	734,165	23.4%	3, 135, 000
Ocean Quahog	1,199,091	26.6%	4,500,000
Maine Quahog	27,474	27.5%	100,000

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**2002 Surfclam/Ocean Quahog Landings**  
(preliminary data)

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	REPORTING PERIOD		SURFCLAM	OCEAN QUAHOG	MAINE QUAHOG
NO.	BEGIN	END	BUSHELS	BUSHELS	BUSHELS
1	01-JAN-02	15-JAN-02	84,928	84,192	2,658
2	16-JAN-02	31-JAN-02	196, 842	188, 993	3,947
3	01-FEB-02	15-FEB-02	127, 936	114, 688	3,345
4	16-FEB-02	28-FEB-02	73, 248	153, 244	3,047
5	01-MAR-02	15-MAR-02	67,837	155,256	3,986
6	16-MAR-02	31-MAR-02	37,888	96,608	3,453
7	01-APR-02	15-APR-02	59,230	180,928	2,698
8	16-APR-02	30-APR-02	51,972	173,982	3,344
9	01-MAY-02	15-MAY-02	34,464	51,200	906
<b>TOTALS</b>			<b>734,165</b>	<b>1,199,091</b>	<b>27,474</b>

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